DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Splendid Body of Virginians to Meet in This City Next

DELEGATES AND ELECTORS

Selection of Three and Amendment of Primary Comprise Necessary Business.

at 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, June 9th, the Democratic State Convention, the first for three years, will be called to order by Hon. J. Taylor Ellyson, chairof the State Central Committee, in the Armory of the Seventieth Regiment, Feventh and Marshall Streets.

Immediately after the call to order and he opening prayer by some local ministhe temporary officers of the conventionill have been chosen by the State Central Committee the evening before the convention. Then the temporary chairman will make his address, a keynote speech, and thereafter the selection of Committees on Permanent Organization, Credentials and Resolutions named by the various districtsmember of each committee from each These committees will retire and prepare their reports for submission to the convention. That on Permanent

to the convention. That on Permanent Organization will be the first made to the convention. The report of the committee will almost certainly be adopted without opposition by the convention, and the new officers will take their places and the permanent chairman will make his address to the convention.

Time will be consumed in speech-making until the Credentials Committee is ready to report, and with its report in and adopted, the convention will be ready for the business before it. The ten congressional district delegations will submit their recommendations for two delegates each to the National Convention at St. Louis, and one elector for each district. Then the convention, as a whole, Then the convention, as a whole, lect the four delegates at large to als, to which the State is entitled to electors at large for the licket.

Suggest a Platform. te various district delegations will re-their selections of five members to constitute the State Central Com-ee, and with this, the work of the con-ion will have been done save that the each to constitute the State Contain convention will have been done save that the report of the Committee on Resolutions will be made, considered and adopted in some form. This will embrace the expressions of the convention on the subject of national issues and candidates, Dessibly an endorsement of a Virginian for vice-presidential nomince, and some recommendation as to amendments to the primary plan. The contemplated changes in the primary are those deemed desirable oy members of the party, without respect to factional affiliations. So far as known no one is opposing the primary principle.

Up to this time few have been mentioned for temporary chairman of the convention. He must be a man agreeable to the State Central Committee, which has the selection. The same is true of the temporary secretary and sergeant-at-arms. The State Committee is so evenly divided between the two factions of the party that it connot be forecasted who will be the temporary chairman. Colonel Button, secretary of the State Committee, which has the solution in the convention.

The permanent officers are to be chosen by a committee of ten members, representing the ten districts. It depends upon which faction controls the convention who will be permanent chairman and secretary. While there are probably aspirants, few have made their aspirations known thus early, when too few delegates have been chosen to make aspirations worth while. Speaker John F. Ryan, of the House of Delegates, is one suggested for permanent chairman, but it is yet too early to prophesy who will be chosen.

Delegates at Large.

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lelegates at large to St. Louis, Sen-baniel and Martin, Chairman Elly-Jovernor Montague, Congressmen and Maynard and Mr. A. C. Brax-all mentioned. Of the eight named and Mr. Ellyson each has strong sup-port for another, and the fourth may be bestowed on any of the others. At this time it is difficult to form an idea of the

result.

For electors at large, Judge S. W. Williams, of Wytheville: Hon. H. St. George Tucker and State Senator A. A. Phlegar, of Montgomery, are now mentioned, but if precedent be followed only one of the trio will be chosen, the other coming from the eastern half of the State, Little has yet developed in the matter of district delegates and electors. There will be plenty of competition for the honors, which are usually stepping stones to future nominations for office, especially the electors.

The convention will consist of about fifteen hundred members, among whom will be all or nearly all the congressmen and many other men prominent in the councils of the party. Congressman Hay and ex-Governor Cameron are two of those already chosen as delegates.

Dr. Dame Leaves.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WINCHESTER, VA., May 31.—Rev. Nelson P. Dame, who recently resigned the rectorship of Christ Episcopal Church, will leave Wednesday, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Miss Margaret Dame, for Osslning, N. Y., where he will preach his first sermon Sunday as rector of St. Paul's Church. Last Sunday night he delivered his farewell sermon at Christ Church. It was a magnificent effort, and his congregation displayed much feeling, many being moved to tears.

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Government Ornithologists Say the Virginia Partridge Is the

Most Valuable Bird.

ornithologists of the Department of Ag-

White, as a result of which it is now

the most useful abundant species on the

Field observations, experiments and ex-

aminations show that the Bob White consumes large quantities of weed seeds and destroys many of the worst

seeds and destroys many of the worst insect pests with which farmers contend, and yet it does not injure grain, fruit or any other crop.

It is calculated that from September 1st to April 30th, annually, in Virginia alone, the total consumption of weed seed by Boh Whites amounts to 373 tons.

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Some of the pests which it habitually desiroys, the report says, are the Mexican cotton boll weevil, which damages the cotton crop upward of \$15,000,000 a year; the potato beetle, which cuts off \$10,000,000 from the value of the potato crop; the cotton worms, which have been known to cause \$30,000,000 loss in a year; the chinch bug and the Rocky Mountain locust, accurges which leave desolation in their path, and have caused loss to the extent of \$100,000,000 in some years.

The report urges measures to secure the preservation of the Bob Whites in this country.

Fourth-Class Postmasters.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 31.—The
following fourth-class postmasters were

following fourth-class postmater's weit appointed to-day:
Virginia: Lynhams, Northumberland county—William R. Harris, vice John A. J. Rock, dead; Shelfar, Louisa county—Mrs. Victoria Meredith, vice Mrs. Bettle Hollins, resigned; Tatum, Orange county—Wattle J. Tatum, vice Richard M. Lumsdan resigned:

den, resigned.
North Carolina: Merry Mount, Warren
county—James H. Palmer, vice R. H.
M. Paschall, removed; Union, Hertford
county—Charles W. Vinson,—vice J. H.
Darden, resigned.

MILLIONS IN HIM.

For Skin Tortured

ulie sick for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Jennings is visiting her daughter, Mrs.
ash, of Third Avenue, Chestnut Hill.
Mr. and Mrs. Hall are visiting Mrs. Gray,
f Highiand Park.
Dr. Halm, wife and children, of Pennsylvaia, have returned home after spending some
me with Mrs. Hanson, of Fourth Avenue,
Miss Emma Justice, of Powhatan, is visiting
liss Katherine Watkins, of Fourth Avenue,
hestnut Hill.

BARTON HEIGHTS.

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Pirid Grammar-James Yeamons.

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ner. Fannic Grammar-Virginia. Thornton.

Primotions Howard's Grove School. No. 2—

Georgia Rollins, Annie Enroughty, Louis Blacks.

LEADERS SCHEME TO FILL QUAY'S PLACE

All Pennsylvania Is Greatly Agitated Over Question of the Senatorial Succession.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PHILADELPHIA. May 31.—Republican state leaders will attempt to dissuade Governor Pennypacker from calling a pecial session of the Legislature to elect, successor to Senator Quay by suggesting that he appoint R. R. Quay to the acancy, and pledging themselves to elect roung Quay in January for the unexpired erm to Marca 4th next.

If anything will influence the Governor experient the mandate of the State Conversion, the mandate of the State Con-

or will take a broad view of the ques tion and wait until January, but have little expectation that even the induce-ment of honoring "Dick" Quay will

HAVE FAITH IN WYSOR.

Democrats of Ninth District Believe He Will Win.

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"So far as I have been able to discover," said a prominent southwest Democratic party in the Nmth District sunited on our congressional nomines, the Hon. Joseph C. Wysor, of Peliceki, and we are coming to believe that he will be a winner when the votes are counted in November."

"There is no more popular man in the Ninth District than Joe Wysor, nor is his popularity confined to the blue mountains of his vative section. He was a power in the recent Constitutional Convention, and always charmed his auditors when he arose to speak. Gov. Montague and a number of good judges pronounced his response to the toast; "The great Southwest," at the Convention banquet here as one of the most brilliant and beautiful addresses to which they had ever listened.

"On the stump, Wysor is simply invincible and it is not thought that there lives a Republican in Virginia who can successfully meet him is that area."

GLASS IN CHARLOTTE.

Democrat From There Says He Got Close to the People.

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A prominent Democrat from Charlotte county, who was in the city last night, said that Congressman Carter Glass had a few days ago paid a visit to his county to look after his fences, and that he had met with the most flattering encouragement.

"Our people are conservative," he said, "and we are going to follow the old unwritten laws of the Democratic party in Virginia that, all things being equal, a representative should at least be returned for a second term. We have no fault to find with Mr. Glass, On the other hand, he has made us a live, energetic and faithful representative at Wasnington."

"According to my way of thinking, he will be nominated by a good, safe majority. Certainly, he will lave no right to fear results in Charlotte."

Austen Chamberlain says that Russia is still a naval power. This is one of the points which it takes experts to establish as to the average observer, the fact is not apparent on the surface,—Faitimore-American.

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Seventeen-Year-Old Bride Who Resigned in Front of the Altar.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WATERBURY, CONN., May 31.—Miss
Constance Tranette, seventeen years old,
and Tennis Lavalle, nineteen years old,
of Springfield, were to be united in marlage at the Catholic Church of St. Ann.
she is a popular young woman in the
thurch, and nearly five hundred friends
of the counts gathered with rice and

was a great shock to the bade her an affectionate left for Springfield.

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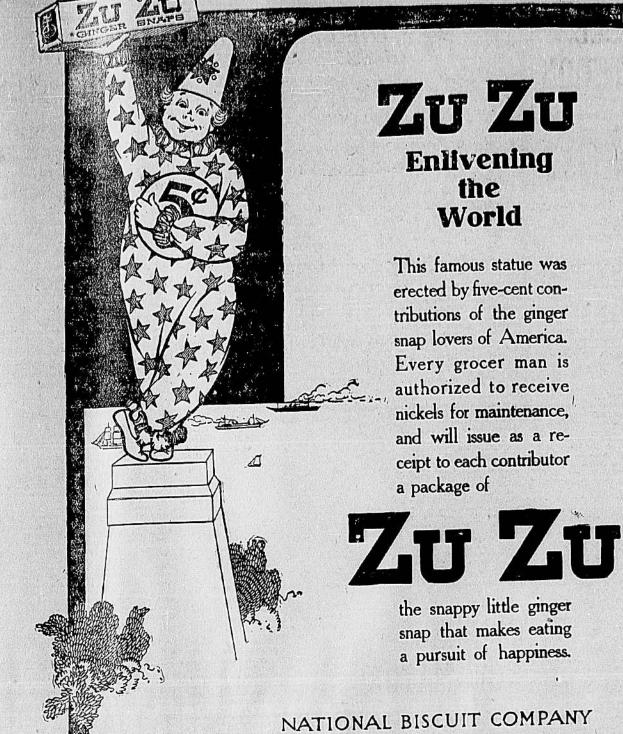
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FAIRMOUNT NEWS.

Capitain Elliton, will leave in a few days for Nelson county to visit his father.

Miss Ive Les Schaaf has left for Dinwiddle county to visit relatives.

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Miss Katle Savage has returned to her home at Poplar Grove, near Petersburg, after a delightful visit to Miss Iva Schaaf.

Mrs. J. T. Jones will leave Priday for East Radford to Join her husband, whe has accepted a position there, and will reside there in the full mental there, and will reside there in the Myllem Shinault is visiting relatives. Miss Made McKenzie has left for King William county to visit relatives. She will also spend some time in Hanover county before returning home.

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Property Transfers.

wood Park, \$160.

L. H. Kemp, Charles W. Childrey and their wives to Minnie A. Childrey, lot 69, Capitol View, \$50.

C. V. Meredith, Thomas D. Nowell, E. A. Catlin and their wives to Mary L., wife of Samuel T. Binns, lots 17 and 18, section C, Glen Echo Park, \$160.

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1903, 25c, All druggists.

LOW RATES TO TUSCALOOSA, ALA, AND RETURN VIA SOUTHERN RAILWAY; ACCOUNT SUMMER SCHOOLS.

On June 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 50th, 21st, 27th, July 4th, the Bouthern will sell special low rate tickets from all points on its lines to Tuscaloosa, Ala., and return, rate of one fare, plus & cents, for the round trip, limited fifteen days, with privilege of extension to September 30th, by depositing ticket with Joint agent, Tuscaloosa, and payment of 50 cents.

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WORLD'S FAIR RATES VIA R., F. & P.
R. R. AND WASHINGTON.

The Richmond. Frederickshurg and Potomac Railroad will apply the following special round trip rates to St. Louis, via Washington, in connection with the Pennsylvania Railroad and Ballimore and Ohio Railroad, account of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition: Season tickes, \$3.60; return limit, December 15, 1904; sixty days' tickets, \$28.00; fifteen days' tickets, \$28.00; fifteen days' tickets, \$28.00; fifteen days' tickets, the information apply to ticket agents, Byrd Street, Elba or Main Street Stations, Richmond Transfer Company, or

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ERN RAILWAY.
On June 8th, 10th, 11th, the Southern
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return at one fare, plus 25 cents, for
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